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STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

INDIANAPOLIS

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 22, 1976

FROM:

George Dayhuff

TO: Files

SUBJECT: Gary Land Development, SW 133, 45 - 2 Surveillance March 9, 10, and 12, 1976

In an effort to obtain better information on which cities and haulers are using the Gary Land Development Landfill and what liquids and sludges are being deposited there I spent two hours on the 9th and two hours on the 10th and three hours on the 12th checking each truck that came in. The following cities and haulers were observed:

- 1. City of Hammond garbage trucks
- 2. City of Hammond street department trucks
- 3. Industrial Disposal trash, debris, garbage 4. Industrial Disposal sludge
- 5. General Drainage liquid
- 6. Calumet Wastes, Inc. trash, garbage, industrial wastes
- 7. Calumet Wastes, Inc. sludge
- 8. Independent Wastes garbage

Of the haulers who were bringing in liquids and sludges General Drainage was by far the most frequent disposer. It appeared from my observations that General Drainage is disposing of between 15,000 - 20,000 gallons of liquid a day. Also observed during the three days were two trucks from Calumet Wastes and three trucks from Industrial Disposal which were disposing of sludges. I will be making a follow-up inspection during the week of March 27, 1976.

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cc: Toxic and Hazardous Waste Files

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